

Appl. No. 10/781,105
Amdt. dated June 21, 2006
Reply to Office action of March 22, 2006

Patent
Docket No. UC-1-CIP

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Office Action Summary

Claims 1 through 12 are pending in the application. Claims 1-12 stand rejected under a nonstatutory obviousness-type double patenting as unpatentable over claims 1-26 of U.S. patent number 7,010,311. Claims 1, and 5-12 stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. published patent application number 2003/0157929 ("Janssen et al"). Claims 2-4 stand objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the respective base and intervening claims. Applicant is unaware of any other rejections or objections pending in the application.

Double Patenting Rejection is Obviated with a Terminal Disclaimer

Applicant encloses a complete form PTO/SB/26, "Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Double Patenting Rejection over a "Prior" Patent", thereby obviating the rejection in view of U.S. patent number 7,101,310. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$130.00 fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.321(c) and 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) to Daniel R. Brown Deposit Account number 501507.

Amendments to the Claims

Claim 1, Claim 5, and Claim 9 have been amended to incorporate all of the limitations of originally filed Claim 2, which was in condition for allowance. Claim 2 has been cancelled. Claim 3 and Claim 4 have been amended to correct their dependency to amended Claim 1.

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Claims Objections, Allowable Subject Matter

The amendment of Claim 1 to include all of the limitations of Claim 2 places Claim 1 in condition for allowance. Likewise, the correction of dependency of Claims 3 and 4 places them in condition for allowance.

Rejection Under § 102(b) - Anticipated by Janssen et al.

The allowability of Claim 2 was based on the limitations directed to plural subscriber identity modules. These allowable limitations have been added by amendment to independent Claim 5 and independent Claim 9. It is Applicant's belief that this action obviates the § 102 rejections under Janssen et al. Thus, applicant believes that Claim 5 and Claim 9 are now allowable by the same reasoning. Such action is hereby courteously solicited.

Rejection of Dependent Claims

All of the remaining dependent claims depend from independent Claim 1, Claim 5 or Claim 9, which have been shown to be in condition for allowance. Therefore, all of the dependent claims are in condition for allowance as well. Such action is hereby courteously solicited.

Conclusion

Applicant notes the art made of record but not relied upon in the rejections.

The foregoing is submitted as a full and complete response to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2006. The Applicant believes that the same places the present

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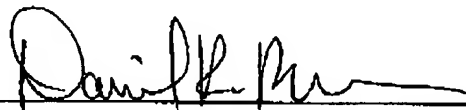
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application in condition for allowance. Reconsideration by the Examiner and allowance of the claimed invention is hereby courteously solicited.

The total number of claims in the Application has been reduced, while the number of independent claims remains unchanged. Thus, Applicant believes that no fees are due at the present time, other and the aforementioned Terminal Disclaimer fee. In the event that the Examiner determines otherwise, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such additional fees, excluding the Issue Fee, or credit any overpayment, to Daniel R. Brown Deposit Account No. 501507.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration by the Examiner and that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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